

NJ Division of Fish and Wildlife
BEAR ACTIVITY REPORT

Jan 20 - Feb 21 Period

		<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>% Change</u>
NOTE: This report contains sightings and complaints reported to DEP and does not include incidents handled by police departments without DEP assistance.		7	5	40.00%
Summary	Total:	17	5	240.00%
	Sightings:	3	1	200.00%
	Damage & Nuisance:	14	4	250.00%

Category I			<u>% Change</u>
	AGRICULTURE	0	0
	ATTEMPTED HOME ENTRY	0	0
	UNPROVOKED DOG ATTACK	0	0
	HUMAN ATTACK	0	0
	HOME ENTRY	0	0
	LIVESTOCK KILL (Prior to 2016) *	*	*
	PROTECTED LIVESTOCK (New)	0	0
	PROPERTY DAMAGE	0	0
	PROTECTED HIVE	0	0
	RABBIT ATTACK (Prior to 2016) *	*	*
	AGGRESSIVE	0	0
	TENT ENTRY	0	0
	VEHICLE ENTRY	0	0
		0	0
			0.00%

Category II		<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	
	CAMP SITE	0	0	
	PROVOKED DOG ATTACK	0	0	
	GARBAGE	1	0	
	NUISANCE	10	0	
	PROPERTY DAMAGE	0	0	
	UNPROTECTED LIVESTOCK (New)	0	0	
	UNPROTECTED HIVE ***	0	0	
	OTHER	0	0	
		11	0	
				1,100.00%

Category III		<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	
	BIRD FEEDER	0	0	
	FOUND DEAD	0	1	
	INJURED BEAR	0	1	
	ILLEGAL KILL	0	0	
	OTHER	3	2	
	SIGHTING	3	1	
	URBAN BEAR	0	0	
	VEHICLE STRIKE	0	0	
		6	5	
				20.00%

* Incident type total now divided between protected and unprotected livestock

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Overall Incidents			
Number of Counties: 8	2022	2021	% Change
GLOUCESTER	1		
HUNTERDON	1	1	
MERCER		1	
MORRIS	2	1	
SOMERSET	1		
SUSSEX	10		
UNION	1	1	
WARREN	1	1	
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